



# Missouri Hogs and Pigs

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**Missouri inventory** of all hogs and pigs on September 1, 2015 was 3.05 million head, up 5 percent from June 1, 2015 and up 7 percent from last year. **Breeding inventory**, at 400,000 head, was up 1 percent from the previous quarter and up 3 percent from last year. **Market hog inventory**, at 2.65 million head, was up 6 percent from last quarter and up 8 percent from last year.

**The June-August 2015 pig crop**, at 2.02 million head, was up slightly from 2014. Sows farrowing during this period totaled 205,000 head, the same as a year ago. The average pigs saved per litter was 9.85 for the June-August period, compared with 9.80 last year.

## Hogs and Pigs Inventory – Missouri: September 1, 2013-2015

	2013	2014	2015	2015 as percent of 2014
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(percent)
Breeding .....	350	390	400	103
Market .....	2,650	2,460	2,650	108
Under 50 pounds .....	1,180	1,270	1,275	100
50-119 pounds .....	650	470	560	119
120-179 pounds .....	390	360	400	111
180 pounds and over .....	430	360	415	115
Total .....	3,000	2,850	3,050	107

## Sows Farrowing, Pig Crop, and Pigs per Litter – Missouri: 2013-2015

	2013	2014	2015	2014 as percent of 2013	2015 as percent of 2014
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(percent)	(percent)
Sows farrowing					
Dec-Feb <sup>1</sup> .....	180	180	205	100	114
Mar-May .....	180	185	200	103	108
Jun-Aug .....	195	205	205	105	100
Sep-Nov .....	180	210		117	
Pig crop					
Dec-Feb <sup>1</sup> .....	1,863	1,638	2,009	88	123
Mar-May .....	1,890	1,647	2,080	87	126
Jun-Aug .....	2,028	2,009	2,019	99	100
Sep-Nov .....	1,854	1,995		108	
Pigs per litter					
Dec-Feb <sup>1</sup> .....	10.35	9.10	9.80	88	108
Mar-May .....	10.50	8.90	10.40	85	117
Jun-Aug .....	10.40	9.80	9.85	94	101
Sep-Nov .....	10.30	9.50		92	

<sup>1</sup> December of previous year.

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